**Subject:** Chat with Kermelos Alebachew
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**me**: but I think if you'd seen what happened with North Africa
**me**: and one thing is
**me**: I know how it looks
**Kermelos**: i followed the north africa situation very closly
**me**: It seems ludicrous that Anon might have had a strong hand in that
**me**: it sounds like a bunch of westerners being self-indulgent and taking credit for things
**me**: I'd look into my Daily Kos diaries from around then
**me**: and compare them to coverage and action elsewhere on the respective dates
**Kermelos**: this is partly the reason for my doubt- "it sounds like a bunch of westerners being self-indulgent and taking credit for things"
**me**: I know
**me**: look at the wikipedia entry for Anonymous and see the links regarding OpTunisia
**me**: and see my Daily Kos diaries
**me**: you'll get a better picture
**Kermelos**: over the years i have tired to become a part of some american groups who try to further "democracy" and so forth in Africa and almost always they have a severe misunderstanding of african politics
**me**: I can imagine
**me**: but these people
**Kermelos**: Sudan is a major case and point
**me**: are not your traditional activists